

## U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

### **Bear River Migratory Bird Refuge**

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### ***Media Release***

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### **Water Conditions at Bear River Migratory Bird Refuge**

The Bear River will be lowered, while PacifiCorp refills the Cutler Reservoir starting December 29 –31. At that time, the entire natural flow of the river will be diverted. Flows from Cutler will decrease to about 50 cfs. and remain for about 5-7 days. Real-time water levels can be viewed at the following website:

[http://waterdata.usgs.gov/usa/nwis/uv?site\\_no=10126000](http://waterdata.usgs.gov/usa/nwis/uv?site_no=10126000)

The Auto Tour Route offers good viewing of the wintering birds where visitors can observe the first of the Bald eagles to the Refuge. Refuge units are 85-95% frozen and the tour route road is mostly clear.

Visit the Wildlife Education Center this winter to learn about nature. Programs will run the second Saturday of each month and provide family-friendly activities. All programs are sponsored by Friends of Bear River Refuge.

- January 10, 2015: Owl Day .
- February 14, 2015: Eagle Day
- March 14, 2015: Swan Day

The Wildlife Education Center is located at 2155 W. Forest St., Brigham City, one block west of I-15 at Exit 363. The Center offers interactive exhibits, wetland diorama, 2 1/4-miles outdoor trail, and is open 8 am-5 pm Monday-Friday and 10 am- 4 pm Saturdays. The Auto Tour Route is open every day of the year from sunrise to sunset. Please call for more information 435.723.5887.

Check out our website at [http://www.fws.gov/refuge/bear\\_river\\_migratory\\_bird\\_refuge/](http://www.fws.gov/refuge/bear_river_migratory_bird_refuge/)

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